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So the resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the

¶1.21 MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

A message in writing from the President of the United States was communicated to the House by Mr. Sherman Williams, one of his secretaries.

$\P 1.22$ Message from the senate

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate has passed resolutions and concurrent resolutions of the following titles in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. RES. 1

Resolved, That the Secretary inform the House of Representatives that a quorum of the Senate is assembled and that the Senate is ready to proceed to business.

S. RES. 2

Resolved, That a committee consisting of two Senators be appointed to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives to wait upon the President of the United States and inform him that a quorum of each House is assembled and that the Congress is ready to receive any communication he may be pleased to make.

S. RES. 6

Resolved, That the House of Representatives be notified of the election of Strom Thurmond, a Senator from the State of South Carolina, as President pro tempore.

S. CON. RES. 1

Concurrent resolution to provide for the counting on January 9, 1997, of the electoral votes for President and Vice President of the United States.

S. CON. RES. 2

Concurrent resolution to extend the life of the Joint Congressional Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies and the provisions of S. Con. Res. 48.

S. CON. RES. 3

Concurrent resolution providing for a recess or adjournment of the Senate from January 9, 1997 to January 21, 1997, and an adjournment of the House from January 9, 1997 to January 20, 1997, from January 20, 1997 to January 21, 1997, and from January 21, 1997 to February 4, 1997.

¶1.23 MINORITY EMPLOYEES

Mr. GEPHARDT, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 6):

Resolved, That pursuant to the Legislative Pay Act of 1929, as amended, the six minority employees authorized therein shall be the following named persons, effective January 3, 1997, until otherwise ordered by the House, to wit: Steve Elmendorf, George Kundanis, Marti Thomas, Sharon Daniels, Dan Turton, and Laura Nichols, each to receive gross compensation pursuant to the provisions of House Resolution 119, Ninety-fifth Congress, as enacted into permanent law by section 115 of Public Law 95-94. In addition, the Minority Leader may appoint and set the annual rate of pay for up to three further minority employees.

¶1.24 CORRECTIONS CALENDAR OFFICE

Mr. BOEHNER, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 7):

Resolved.

SECTION 1. CORRECTIONS CALENDAR OFFICE.

There is established in the House of Representatives an office to be known as the Corrections Calendar Office, which shall have the responsibility of assisting the Speaker in the management of the Corrections Calendar under the Rules of the House of Representatives. The Office shall have not more than five employees-

(1) who shall be appointed by the Speaker, in consultation with the minority leader; and

(2) whose annual rate of pay shall be establish by the Speaker, but may not exceed 75 percent of the maximum annual rate under the general limitation specified by the order of the Speaker in effect under section 311(d) of the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 1988 (2 U.S.C. 60a 2a)

¶1.25 PROVIDING FOR THE ADJOURNMENT OF THE TWO HOUSES

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, laid before the House the following privileged concurrent resolution of the Senate (S. Con. Res. 3):

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That when the Senate recesses or adjourns on Thursday, January 9, 1997, pursuant to a motion made by the

Majority Leader or his designee, in accordance with the provisions of this resolution, it stand recessed or adjourned until 12:00 noon on Tuesday, January 21, 1997, or until such time on that day as may be specified by the Majority Leader or his designee in the motion to recess or adjourn, or until 12:00 noon on the second day after Members are notified to reassemble pursuant to section 2 of this concurrent resolution; and that when the House adjourns on Thursday, January 9, 1997, it stand adjourned until 10:00 a.m. on Monday, January 20, 1997; that when the House adjourns on Monday, January 20, 1997, it stand adjourned until 12:00 noon on Tuesday, January 21, 1997; and that when the House adjourns on Tuesday, January 21, 1997, it stand adjourned until 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 4, 1997, or until 12:00 noon on the second day after Members are notified to reassemble pursuant to section 2 of this concurrent resolution.

SEC. 2. The Majority Leader of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, acting jointly after consultation with the Minority Leader of the Senate and Minority Leader of the House, shall notify the Members of the Senate and the House, respectively, to reassemble whenever, in their opinion, the public interest shall warrant it.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House agree to said concurrent resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, announced that the yeas had

Mr. FAZIO demanded a recorded vote on agreeing to said concurrent resolution, which demand was supported by one-fifth of a quorum, so a recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic de-

It was decided in the Yeas affirmative Nays 198

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So the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said concurrent resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered. That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶1.27 ELECTORAL COLLEGE

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, laid before the House the following privileged concurrent resolution of the Senate (S. Con. Res. 1):

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the two Houses of Congress shall meet in the Hall of the House of Representatives on Thursday, the 9th day of January 1997, at 1 o'clock post meridian, pursuant to the requirements of the Constitution and laws relating to the election of the President and Vice President of the United States, and the President of the Senate shall be their Presiding Officer; that two tellers shall be previously appointed by the President of the Senate on the part of the Senate and two by the Speaker on the part of the House of Representatives, to whom shall be handed, as they are opened by the President of the Senate, all the certificates and papers purporting to be certificates of the electoral votes, which certificates and papers shall be opened, presented, and acted upon in the alphabetical order of the States, beginning with the letter "A"; and said tellers, having then read the same in the presence and hearing of the two Houses, shall make a list of the votes as they shall appear from the said certificates; and the votes having been ascertained and counted in the manner and according to the rules by law provided, the result of the same shall be delivered to the President of the Senate. who shall thereupon announce the state of the vote, which announcement shall be deemed a sufficient declaration of the persons, if any, elected President and Vice President of the United States, and, together with a list of the votes, be entered on the Journals of the two Houses.

When said concurrent resolution was considered and agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the votes whereby said concurrent resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

$\P 1.28$ Joint committee on the INAUGURATION

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, laid before the House the following privileged concurrent resolution of the Senate (S. Con. Res. 2):

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That effective from January 3, 1997, the joint committee created by Senate Concurrent Resolution 47 of the One Hundred Fourth Congress, to make the necessary arrangements for the inauguration, is hereby continued with the same power and authority.

SEC. 2. That effective from January 3, 1997, the provisions of Senate Concurrent Resolution 48 of the One Hundred Fourth Congress, to authorize the rotunda of the United States Capitol to be used in connection with the proceedings and ceremonies for the inauguration of the President-elect and the Vice President of the United States, and for other purposes, are hereby continued with the same power and authority.

When said concurrent resolution was considered and agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the votes whereby said concurrent resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Thereupon, pursuant to the provisions of the foregoing concurrent resolution, the Chair announced the Speaker's reappointment as members of the Joint Committee for the Inauguration of the President-elect and the Vice-Present-elect of the United States on the 20th day of January, 1997, the following Members of the House: Mr. GEP-HARDT, Mr. GINGRICH, and Mr. ARMEY.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶1.29 INAUGURAL CEREMONIES

Mr. SOLOMON submitted the following privileged resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 8):

Resolved, That at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, January 20, 1997, the House shall proceed to the West Front of the Capitol for the purpose of attending the inaugural ceremonies of the President and Vice President of the United States; and that upon the conclusion of the ceremonies the House stands adjourned until noon on Tuesday, January 21, 1997.

$\P 1.30$ daily hour of meeting

Mr. SOLOMON submitted the following privileged resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 9):

Resolved, that unless otherwise ordered, before Monday, May 12, 1997, the daily meetings of the House shall be at 2 p.m. on Mondays; at 11 a.m. on Tuesdays and Wednesdays; and at 10 a.m. on all other days of the week; and that from Monday, May 12, 1997, until the end of the first session, the daily meeting of the House shall be at noon on Mondays; at 10 a.m. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays; and at 9 a.m. on all other days of the week.

¶1.31 OATH OF OFFICE TO MEMBER-ELECT

Mr. GEPHARDT submitted the following privileged resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 10):

Whereas, Frank Tejeda, a Representativeelect from the 28th District of the State of Texas, has been unable from illness to appear in person to be sworn as a Member of the House, and there being no contest or question as to his election; Now, therefore, be it *Resolved,* That the Speaker, or deputy

named by him, is hereby authorized to administer the oath of office to the Honorable Frank Tejeda at San Antonio, Texas, and that such oath be accepted and received by the House as the oath of office of the Honorable Frank Tejeda.

Thereupon, the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, by unanimous consent and pursuant to the provisions of the foregoing resolution, appointed the Honorable Orlando Garcia, Federal District Court Judge, to administer the oath of office to the Honorable Frank Tejeda.

¶1.32 OATH OF OFFICE TO MEMBER-ELECT

Mr. GEPHARDT submitted the following privileged resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 11):